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SHELTON STATE CELEBRATES FEBRUARY AS BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Each Friday during the month of February, Shelton State Community College will host a program in celebration of Black History Month and the contributions of black Americans.

On February 19th, as part of the celebration, choirs from three area churches will perform at the college beginning at 12:30 p.m. in room 406 of the Skyland campus. Churches participating include: Friendship Baptist Church under the direction of Rev. Myron Hamner, pastor, and Lonnie Thomas, minister of music; Plum Grove Baptist Church. Rev. Walter Robinson, pastor, and Ira Vincent Johnson, minister of music; Elizabeth Baptist church, Rev. Vernon Swift, pastor, and Bessie German, minister of music. During this performance, Halbert and Gloria Fagin, owners of Northwest Gallery and Framing, will exhibit a collection of Afro-American art. A reception will follow the performance.

The final program in the series will be held on Friday, February 26, and will feature an exchange of ideas by members of the Tuscaloosa community. This program will be held at noon in the Skyland auditorium. Members of the Black History Month committee at the college include Jeanetta Hargrow, chair, Katherine Alexander, Paula Sue Hayes, Jean Mack, Ronald Range, Sharon Deck, Humphrey Lee and Bruce Bizzoco.

SHELTON STATE AND CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL TO SPONSOR FINANCIAL AID FAIR

A Financial Aid Fair, sponsored by Shelton State Community College and Central High School of Tuscaloosa, will be held on Saturday, February 20, from 12 noon until 3 p.m. at Center Court at University Mall. The purpose of the event is to help students and their parents learn more about what type of financial aid is currently available for college.

Thirteen colleges will be represented. Counselors, financial aid officers, and recruiters from the University of Alabama, Alabama State University, the University of Alabama-Birmingham, Birmingham Southern College, Stillman College, Walker College, Auburn University, Judson College, Troy State University, Fredd state Technical College, Livingston University, Mississippi University for Women and Mississippi State University will be on hand to answer questions. "We understand the difficulties today's families face in trying to find the funds necessary to send their children to college. Having the Financial Aid Fair at the mall on Saturday will help them get the information they need and will make it more convenient for working parents," said Humphrey Lee, Shelton dean of students.

"Because of the new and different financial aid forms this year, it is important for parents to have first hand information about the scholarship application process," said Beth Kidder, CHS counselor. "We hope that high school juniors in particular will come to the mall, along with their parents, and begin to explore the financial aid and scholarship process." Kidder said.

Don Rainer, director of financial aid at Shelton State Community College, pointed out that millions of dollars in federal, state, and institutional assistance is available in Alabama to help defray college costs, but many students are unaware of these resources or how to go about attaining them. "Financial aid is easier to apply for now because there is a free application for federal student aid (FAFSA) which is processed without cost. Congress has also mandated a simplified eligibility formula for students and parents who file or who are eligible to file a 1040A or 1040EZ federal tax return and have an adjusted gross income of less than \$50,000. Students with adjusted gross incomes of less than \$12,000 should qualify for a maximum award," Rainer said.

PERSONNEL CHANGES AT SHELTON STATE

Evelyn Mettee has been named director of training for allied health in industry training. In her new position, Evelyn will serve as the college's liaison to DCH and other medical organizations in the area and will also research and develop new allied health programs. Evelyn's new office will be in room 210-A on the 15th St. Campus.

Brenda Ryan, a member of the colleges counseling staff, will replace Mrs. Mettee as linkage coordinator with UAB School of Health Related Professions.

APPLICATIONS FOR PERFORMING ARTS SCHOLARSHIPS AT SHELTON STATE NOW AVAILABLE

Applications for Performing Arts Scholarships at Shelton State Community College must be returned to the college by March 21, 1993.

Students who wish to audition for a scholarship in music, art, theatre and dance should apply as soon as possible. Applications may be obtained from the dean of students office on the Skyland Boulevard Campus. Auditions will be held by appointment March 19-20. For additional information on the scholarships, contact Linda Grote, 391-2262.

UNIVERSITY OF MONTEVALLO MUSIC PROFESSOR TO ASSIST SHELTON STUDENTS

Dr. Benjamin Middaugh, a member of the music faculty at the University of Montevallo, will conduct a voice master class at Shelton State Community College on February 22 from 1-3 p.m. in the choral room on the Skyland Boulevard Campus.

Dr. Middaugh is recognized throughout the Southeast for his work in opera and musical theatre, starring last summer in KISMET with Birmingham Summerfest. He has been state and regional governor for the national Association of Teachers of Singing (NATS) and actively supports the work of that organization.

While at Shelton State, he will work with students from the college music department in order to help prepare them for the state NATS auditions which they will attend February 20-27. In the master class, Dr. Middaugh will demonstrate his teaching techniques with some of his voice student from the University of Montevallo.

Shelton students who plan to attend the state NATS auditions are Sandra Taylor, Shannon Tracy, Missy Hay, Chris Babb, Misty Bamberg, Kelvin Hyche, Charlie Dale, Melanie lake, Jennifer Rovenko, Christy Hughley and Carlene Williams.

DATES FROM THE BUCCANEERS

Shelton State Women Buccaneers will be play Wallace-Hanceville in Tuscaloosa beginning at 6 p.m., and at 8 p.m. the Men's game will be played. These division games will also be played on February 20th against CVCC. On February 23rd the Buccaneers will travel to Selma to play Concordia College. The womens game will be at 5:30 p.m. and the men will play at 7:30 p.m.

SHELTON FACULTY MEMBER CURRENTLY EXHIBITING IN COLLEGE LIBRARY

Carole Johnson, a member of the faculty at Shelton State Community College, is currently having a one woman show at the Shelton State Library located on the college's Skyland Boulevard Campus.

The show consists of 25 works in mixed media, from drawings to sculptures. Included are a number of portraits, including self-portraits.

Mrs. Johnson began studying art in 1985 at Shelton State under the direction of Bethany Windham Engle, former art instructor at the college. Mrs. Johnson is currently studying at the University of Alabama.

The exhibit is free and open to the public during the following library hours: Monday-Thursday, 8 a.m.-9 p.m., and Friday, 8 a.m.-4 p.m. For additional information, contact Deborah Grimes, director of library services for the college, 391-2233.